

## **PROCLAMATION**

Whereas: The City of Boston recognizes their role in identifying, protecting, and responding

to cyber threats that affect our individual and collective privacy; and

Whereas: Maintaining the security of cyberspace is a shared responsibility in which each

individual has a critical role to play in spreading awareness of computer security

essentials; and

Whereas: The National Institute for Standards and Technology Cybersecurity Framework

Program has developed a free resource to help organizations (large and small, both public and private) implement the Cybersecurity Framework and improve their cyber practices through a practical approach to addressing evolving threats

and challenges; and

Whereas: Critical infrastructure sectors are increasingly reliant on information systems to

support financial services, energy, telecommunications, transportation, utilities,

healthcare, and emergency response systems; now

**Therefore:** I, Martin J. Walsh, Mayor for the City of Boston, do hereby proclaim the month of

October as:

## Cyber Security Awareness Month

in the City of Boston.

I urge all of my fellow Bostonians to join me in recognizing the importance of cyber security to the City of Boston.

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MAYOR OF BOSTON

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